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### TWELVE PAGES NEW JERSEY AND THE TRUSTS.

That the State of New Jersey is reaping

If the March record could be papers in the United States. received during the month of March just duplicated through the other months of This has been accomplished by adhering way from charter fees!

It appears that during the month mengate capitalization of the thirty-four, out whose capital aggregated \$10,000,000, were chartered.

is deadened.

It would have been singular if the idea had not occurred to that State's officials creasing the charter fees, but the cordictate terms to its creator.

fers itself to the use and benefit of the

New Jersey's March record in the premelected, is a matter of the gravest doubt. If the people of the United States were as public septiment is a republic's greatest danger-and it looks at times as if we had brighter and brighter. reached that critical stage in the United

## THE "SOUND MONEY" PROPOSED.

lican currency reform plan of retiring the government paper money and turning ment boards are as uncertain as the quality over to the National banks the issue of all our paper currency, will meet with far more opposition even in republican ranks than the administration now anticipates.

This treasury plan, which has received Indorsement from the house committee Spain will increase taxes in consequence of on banking and currency, is one of the most outrageous propositions ever seriously made with reference to our government finances. The government proposes to surrender to one class of bankers the government prerogative of issuing the money lated upon the promise of the future. of the people. While no limit, practically, is to be imposed and no legal tender qualmoney, yet the public from the very neces- ment. skiles of the situation will be forced to denend upon these notes as the chief circulating medium of the country. Business ance that is certainly due him. However, we will become embarrassed, or speculative must make full allowance for the streak of like Watterson. and uncertain, in proportion to the flue- Spanish in Cuban character and the natural based, as it is to be, upon the bankable try that we have gone into Cuba to stay. assets alone of the corporations issuing it, Admiral Sampson would probably like to

Such a surrender of government author- If the America's cup is carried away by the spirit if not the letter of the constitution, bet victories for her.

authorities who were put in power be- racian untain are arousing the criticism in SOME VIEWS AT WASHINGTON the people from a debased currency, that sign countries to belittle us.

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man, and the masses generally, from day in any respect. and silver, and no paper money issued by trusts or less trustworthy! the government, in circulation. Those who lt is about time some further and practical seems to disclose.

went into power on a crusade against sil- action was being taken by Houston's citizens. Strong friends of the administration who

the "sound money" of the country!

### THE POST'S ANNIVERSARY.

It is with a record justifying pride in The Houston Post this morning enters his colonies to desert him. upon its fifteenth year. Though its past life constitutes but a comparatively brief titled to a good rest and might as well take can tell how far-reaching the political efa rich revenue harvest out of the trust time has developed into the full and strong Filipines get their wind. most strikingly demonstrated by the fees success that is equalled by few news-

the year New Jersey could almost pay its strictly to business principles and faithfully eudeavoring to serve the best intertioned thirty-five corporations were or- ests of the public. The revenues of the ganized under the laws of New Jersey, enterprise have been put back into the im- methods is a theorist. with capital stock ranging from \$1,500,000 provement of the plant and the daily ismore men would commit suicide. to \$65,000,000 to the company. The aggre- sues of the paper, until today no more The lamb makes no enemies, but fears of the thirty-five, corporations that partook of the character of trusts, amounted found in the South. The management to \$1,111.750,000! Besides these larger have believed that the people of Hous- much that he is too timid to undertake companies about 200 smaller concerns, ton and of Texas were entitled to the best According to the information furnished and, having acted upon this conviction, he inspires. According to the information furnished and, having acted upon this conviction.

A very small piece of lead from a very in a dispatch to the New York Journal have found the public testifying its appre-

such a harvest is gathered in, but for two years past, or at least since the Dingley bill became a law, this golden stream has been running into the New Jersey treasury. The fact that the balance of the country is suffering in consequence of this wholesale organization of big combines.

\*\*Author of the Post to note the fact that the return would be past that itself and Houston have grown and a good blade, keen of edge and strong, it must be pounded into shape by a skilled hand at a hot forge. Great minds are thus shaped and tempered at the glowing forge of life.

There are surface indications that David B. Hill is trying to get back into the political arena. It appears that he declined for this city, and the expansion that has made of Houston such a great and promptly than Mr. Bryan and Before there would be past that the return would be past that itself and Houston have grown and the state to not edge and strong. The large number that itself and Houston have grown and strong that the pounded into shape by a skilled became a law, this golden stream has the columns at all times to the upbuilding of life.

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this popular support will still be merited alsolutely nothing to be discourt about; on the contrary, they should large. That any relief can come to the by the continued devotion of the paper highly elated and thankful that the out-Nation, however, until a straight demo- to the things that work for the material fortune of the people.

And both The Post and Houston are to publicanism from power on this issue of the progress has been he will list to them and go the way that the frusts alone. An indifferent or sordid reached, the prospect ahead has looked they show to Bryan that he is in the wrong, he will list to them and go the way that of his life and all his wealth has been as the show to Bryan that he is in the wrong, he will list to them and go the way that of his life and all his wealth has been as republic account of the emptiness will list to be right, but the gold bugs nothing to him on account of the emptiness

The New York Herald thinks the beef infeated in 1900, but democracy can v in 1900 by standing for the right; anyhor quiry board will vindicate Miles, and the Globe-Democrat thinks that the board will coast the general. If the board was organized It is becoming apparent from reviving to ascertain and report the truth, it will be discussion of the matter, that the repub- compelled to find that Miles' charges have been substantially proven, but these governof the army rations in these latter days.

> Salt Lake City is going to build a "salt palacc.' If all accounts be true there are better uses than that to which salt can be put in

the burdens left by the war. If there is any consolation in distinguished company, Spain can contemplate the situation in the way of teaches that its beneficiaries are better

were fust mixed enough to keep the politicians ity conferred upon this National bank still guesning as to the drift of popular senti- Wood County News (Minecia).

Our friends the Cubans are not displaying tuations of this bank issued currency, suspicion aroused by intimations in this coun-

and without adequate provisions for its visit foreign ports all the time-he is received. Other will be a candidate for the demoredemption either by the banks or the with some degree of enthusiasm away from cratic nomination for the president, and is that he is under the Tammany inducance

ity in such a vital direction is not only shamrock, it will simply demonstrate that undemocratic, but contrary to the very England has still to depend on Ireland to win

cause of their supposed devotion to "sound American papers that they deserve. It is alpmoney!" It was loudly boasted that it sular that our smart representatives abroad was the republican purpose to "protect" can't understand that they are not sent to for-

the "poorest working man" was entitled The Boston Herald says that "probably Mr. cents anywhere in the world, and good results in Mr. Sewall's section and circle in tion before the army court of inquiry is because of its own intrinsic value! Now '66, it is probable "the democratic ticket next making a deep impression on the people

of a certain class of bankers-for we would that if the anti-trust laws had been framed by would make it clear to the public that see, under the new system, but little gold the trusts they couldn't be more worthy of the there is no disposition to shield any one

pected that the crop will be a large one.

are dead, yet denounces this treasury scandal would indicate that the major baid succeeded in tanding a pin in a very sensitive

England's West India islands are likely to become embarrassing to us in their loud. He said he was afraid there was not back for admission to our political family the proper realization in this city of the circle. We can't hobnob with John Buil and periousness of the situation and what a its past and confidence in its future that at the same time hold out any inducements to mistake is being made by allowing the im-

career in journalism. The Post in that will have to be gone over again as soon as the to the administration. The administracharters being granted by that State was stature of maturity and has achieved a The daughter of a once poor Nevada miner put in the attitude of being an apologist for

fermations a few years can accomplish in a glorious republic!

### FROM "THE CRUCIBLE."

The man who doesn't agree with your If faith did not plece out reason many

The for-seeing man usually sees unything. What we call a man's personality is

The mind is like steel: friction sharpens, of it in the past. sized State! It is not every month that satisfaction to The Post to note the fact heat tempers, idleness rusts. If you want

wholesale organization of big combines does not affect public sentiment in New Jersey. It is profiting in a revenue way and public conscience for the time being perity of the one has aided the prosperity. The Post has had no pet interests to feated in 1896, and the same class of men cratic State convention in New York last and would have little time to spend in the variety, whose doings for a century have had not occurred to that State's officials that this rich mine might be worked deeper. Accordingly, the attorney general of the State recently prepared a bill increasing the charter fees, but the corresponding to the state of the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils. The request was made for the return of the flag. When been a stench even in English nostrils.

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it buried in one of the legislative comthat which it has felt was right and for they are right now; they then fought the has slways been especially strong, and made up before April 1.

the good of Houston and the State of leader as their standard bearer, and they mittee rooms. The creature was able to Texas. It is as little handlcapped today will now fight the same battle over with the same great leader as their standard of charters granted in other States, and a commonwealth like little New Jersey of paper on this continent!

be postponed until some true during try to go at the head of the delegation. The during try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation. The during try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation. The during try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to go at the head of the delegation try to It is because the management feel that larger majority. The tories were loud by trusts, the necessity for some Federal law or constitutional amendment prohibiting the stared them in the face, and if George Washington and his followers had have grant charters to trusts becomes painfully of that public favor that has given The been faint hearted men, the discouragements would have been too much for apparent.

Post its present enviable position. And be discouraged look for their cause is so bright tories could have shown to Wa cratic administration and congress are progress, social welfare and political good that he was in the wrong, he would have listened to them and gone the way that they showed to be right, but the tories might as well have talked to the moon alive to their political and other interests And both The Post and Houston are to as to tell Washington that defeat stared has been a candidate in his mind for, lo.

as they once were they would sweep rebe congratulated that as each succeeding him in the face. If the gold bugs can show to Bryan that he is in the wrong. might as well talk to the moon as to tell

### Some Consolution. Eagle Pass Guide

The members of the Texas legislature can at least console themselves with the reflection that they are not the Oklahoma tory has vetoed sixty-five out of the eighy-nine bills passed by the legislature

Bryan that defeat stares him in the face If democracy can not win in 1900 by stand-

ing for the right, let democracy be de-

### A Strange Philanthropy. Grandview Graphic

It is a strange philanthrophy which

## The Best Thing to Do.

Henry Watterson, in the Courier-Journal, asks the question; What shall the democracle party do to be saved? If we

### A Candidate and That's All. Beaumont Journal.

It is seriously stated that Ex-Secretary it may be just as seriously a he will not be anything more.

## The Trouble with Hanna.

The Yankee lives and grows fat and recommendation scheme is Ambassador Cheate's recent specing references.

Ambassador Cheate's recent specing references, and that's what's the matter with the country's attitude in the Vene-Hanna.

(BY C. A. EDWARDS.)

Washington, April 2 .- (Staff Special.) --It is evident by what is said by some of to a dollar that would be good for 100 Sewall of Bath can stand being left off the cents anywhere in the world, and good it is proposed practically to pay the poor year" will not be of an experimental nature all over the country. It is being urged by some that the administration should asto day, in non-legal tender notes of hand The Chicago Times-Herald is of the opinion sums an attitude in the matter which responsible for the abuses the testimony

ver with its intrinsic value and legal ten- looking to the establishment of a tobacco would not publicly criticise it in any of der quality, now propose to give the Na- warchouse here to handle the coming season's its branches, speak very frankly in prition a species of "wildcat" currency as South and East Texas tobacco crop. It is ex- vale, urging that the results may be very serious if the responsibility is not fixed The New York Journal, which affects to Hanna's indignation that Major Lee should where it belongs and the fault properly believe that "Bryanism" and bimetallism attempt to connect his name with the beef punished. A prominent republican who has been among the people a good deal like City.—The Post is delivered to any part of the city by carriers, per month, \$1.00; three months \$5.00; three months \$5.00 ton Printing Company.

The Post regulate its supply." If private notes and regulate its supply." If private notes are allowed to be put out as money, their change. If it means as great an expansion as application of the pension list," says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says an expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion of the pension list, says and expansion as application of the pension list, says and expansion of to them like a purpose to discredit Miles.

pression to get abroad that General Miles The brave soldiers in the Philippines are en- is the object of official attack. "No one it. No matter what they accomplish now, it feet may be," said be, "nor how injurious tion." he continued, "can not afford to be and the great-grandson of a Staten island what the people look upon as a crime ferryman yesterday demonstrated what trans- against our soldiers in the field during the social and financial way in this great and Spanish war. The testimony that has been taken is very generally regarded as convincing evidence that bad, if not poisonous, meat was issued to the soldiers as their principal ration, and General Miles is looked upon as the defender and champlon of the soldiers. Official hostility towards General Miles is very apt to be regarded by the public as a manifestation of resentscandal. The order of the secretary of war so depriving the general commanding the army of the right to order inspections was TERRY HANGERS' BATTLEFLAG. peculiarly untimely. It was by reason of paper that their patronage would supply, often no more than the present fear which his authority to order inspections that the information as to the character of the beef. The following is taken from the 1a- the assessors have been forced to was collected by General Miles. If he hall dianapolis News of March 31: for the thirty-four trust charters the sum of \$128,000! This is at the rate of \$1,536.

The man who for another's good tells a disapproval of the result of his exercised. To take the autroper for the return of the flag if the fixed upon. Upon limiting disagreeable thing usually himself gets the most good out of it.

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> feat in 1900 stares the democracy in the long time, and particularly since Croke; with the trophy, when the convention is held to elect dele- been received at gates from the Empire State to the demo-eratic National convention, Mr. Hill will before the close of the legislature the trip Undertaking. It is said that Hill's friends have been when there is always a large reunion of making overtures to the Bryan leaders when there is always a large reunion of the exposition giving the rules govern-with a view of forming an alliance against the Croker-Belmont wing of the democratic a reunion of Management and the list the reun of Management and the list the reun of Management and the list the reunion of Management and the list that the reunion of Management and the list the reunion of the exposition giving the rules governto the exposition giving the rules gove the Croker-Belmont wing of the democratic a reunion of Hoosiers, both of Indiana of prizes to be effered in the horse show. party. Bryan's friends, however, are a and Texas. triffe shy of David B. Hill, and they will in pomp and show on all ceassions, but he position, Copies of this prospectus will be be very slow to take him into their condidnot like to go to Texas like a tramp; then to Secretary W. J. Leppert. be very slow to take him into their con- did not like to go to Texas like a tramp, mailed free to any address upon nance. The Bryan people are disposed to with no staff and with few companions on tion to Secretary W. J. Leppert. allow Hill and Croker to fight it out without any interference on their part one way or the other.

squeezed out at last. Perry Belmont is a candidate for governor of New York. He good representation.

"The appropriation," he said, 'will prothese many years. It has been the dream of his life and all his wealth has been as nothing to him on account of the emptiness of his hopes. The talk now is that Bel-would be sufficient representation for such mont has made a deal with Croker to receive the support of Tammany for the govthing, however, it will take more than the support of Tammany to capture the State.

The governor said that if the return of the flag were postpined until fall, he was sure arrangements could be provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that the provided that would secure a large representation of the Bolivian Could be provided that the return the support of the state of the provided that the return the support of the said that the said that the return the support of the said that the democracy has nothing to gain by standof the Belmont-Croker dinner was to launch a Belmont gubernatorial boom. If such is really the case it was very unfeet. Chicago Record. ing on the part of Mr. Bryan to dealine To the Editor: With regard to the allhe would have accepted the dinner invitation and helped Perry up a noteh or two-

can contemplate the situation in the way of tax burdens of her late adversary and be happy. It is still an open question whether still being rapidly shuffled off to the happy hand of the tax burdens of the future.

Spain or the United States is to be congratulated upon the promise of the future.

The only trouble with Billy is that he takes himself too seriously. He charge the fact that the law compels all property lated upon the promise of the future.

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Spain or the States is to be congratulated off to the happy him. The only trouble with Billy is that the law compels all property in the law New York as a tempost in a teapor. He every week. linners nor political dinners given for political effect. The only trouble with Billy Chicago, March 29. asserted that and must dence to Croker's music or get Atlanta Constitution. a candidat for the leadership of the minor- the family, took up his demicile in Eug- more followers than they would like to admit.



## DARONESS DE HIRSCH, PHILANTHROPIST.

Baroness Claire de Hirsch de Gereuth, widow of Baron Hirsch, who died in Paris last Sainting, was a worthy successor of her husband, the great philanthropia, whose benevolent undertailings were known the world over. It is rarely indeed that a husband and wife can be found who have entered into the spirit of a great wirk with such thorough harmony as did Barou and Baroness de Hirsch. Through the later lifetime of the baron, and until he oled, on April 21, 1896, his wife was his best helper and advisor. Indeed, she was a thorough partner in his work, for much of her own personal inheritance of \$20,000,000 was devoted to charitable purposes. Since the death of the baron she bad carried on the work of putting into execution his plans, and had in many ways added to their score and made them more effective. in many ways added to their scope and made them more effectly

tion for vice president next year with paper property, loaned money to the Bryan at the head of the ticket. It will be prince of Wales, and in all of his as-Bryan at the head of the ticket. It will be sociations has taken on the character of a observed that New York people are very native born Englishman. In his public modest.

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probable that the return would be post- by one of our "new rich," and suggests

was thought that the delegation could be the governor's

with him, in order that the dignity of the State might be upheld. The people of Texas were preparing to make the day of The milk in the cocoanut has been the return of the flag one that would go gueszed out at last. Perry Belmont is a down in the history of the State, and be down in the history of the State, and he of thought the State of Indiana should have J.

an occasion, and I am not willing that Indians should not uphold her dignity and

## Clean Streets in Christiania.

to assist in this laudable enterprise. If absorbing question of dirty streets, think he had known the facts I have no doubt 'my observations may be of some interest, buying just returned from an extendel visit in Norway. In Christiania, a city of some 200,000 population, where I spect most of my time, they have no street I saw the Hon. Billy Suiter of New York cleaning department, yet, strange as it may seem to Chicago politicians, there is not a dirty street to be found in the whole

New York as a tempost in a teapor. He every week. Failure on the part of any says that no man queat to try to make political capital out or the dinner invitations. That so had accepted many cloner in the shelf government senerally, I chai invitations from republicans during his not but conclude that their method of the question: What shall the lichs. That is an advantage his not but creature that their method of invitations from republicans during his no but creature that their method of sirect coming is head and shoulders in led upon to reply, our answer congressional career and that he had not advance of ours and less expensive by far. Pay no attention to old frauds felt compromised by so doing. That is all No fat splarless to pure. In my opinion we very true, but the Hon. Billy must re. (an never expect to have respectable to kmember that he was not the leader of n ing atrects, scherally speaking, under ex-great party and that those were not public adopting some similar system. C. H. Perguson.

## Non-Residence Tax Suggested.

off the political earth. When he talks he The return of William Waldorf Aster to simply echoes Croker. He is, honever, the New York City is the culmination of an only silver man in the New York delega- ovil which the government will have to

ity in the next house, and bas also allowed land several years ago because this counthe information to percolate through his try did not suit him. There he has invested in a city and a country home, see hat that he would not refuse the nomination for vice president next year with

have been remembered, while the rent thrown upon the mercy that they TERRY RANGERS' BATTLEFLAG.

It May Not Be Returned to Texas a country, through his attorneys, has became so notorious as a tax dodger that the producer of the raw material ast a fight, and now he returns to argue against the increase of assessment, threatening to

the trophy.

Astor type, and that if the evil is perof the soil becomes the victin of the trophy.

"The Texas legislature adjourns April mitted to grow the American absence avarioe of the combine in every intercentury have

# LOUISIANA EXPOSITION.

New Orleans, March 29.-There is now live stock, agricultural, horticultural, arts

Kinley an official invitation as agreed upon between the chief executive and the former committee appointed for that purpose has been appointed and is composed of the following gentlemen: Governor M. J. Foster, Hon. W. C. Flower, Captain A. T. Wimberly, Colonel W. John Pitzpatrick, S. J. Sanders, G. M. Loshy, Charles Janvier, S. Locks Breaux, J. B. Sinnott, F. W. Young, Leopold Levy, Pearl Wight, Captain Charles Drown, Walter D. Peneg J. F. Denschaud, Edward McCa, au, C. Murphy, H. Dudley Caleman, W. Dusson, Colonet J. M. Foster, W. E. Huger, J. R. G. Pitkin, H. B. Stevens, J. Dusson.

M. Parker and J. P. Parker.
These gentlemen will leave New Orleans within a short time in a special car and will present the invitation which is to be the form of a handsome stained glass

### pluque. "Not Our Funeral."

New York World. Corgress adjourned without making any

appropriation whatever-For the government of Hawaii:

For the management of Guam;

For the centrol of the Philippines, For administration in Porto Rico;

For carying out our pledge to set up Cubans under a government of their The congress declined to join Mr. McKin-In the hearse and took its place on the lewalk as a long-faced spectator of the

### The Home Market First. Fort Worth Register.

Texas needs the Nicaragua canal in her business of supplying cotion to the Orient, but more than that she ork up her cotton crop into a finished

# Waco Times-Herald.

Wireless telegraphy may become an accomplished fact, but there will never be any wireless politics.

An Impossible Invention.

### Another Uninvited Democrat. Waco Times-Herald.

There has been no place provided for Grover Cleveland at any of the many Jeffersonian dinners.

# TRUSTS ARE A PUBLIC

Chicago, April 1 .- (Stage Trusts found their impetus in quate supply of money of r demption, with which to trans ness of the country. Among which capitalists have made production were increase in machinery and decrease in a number of men necessary to Combined capital discovered to not only reduce expenses of but could regulate the law of demand of its product. To find the healthy, full-grown understand their business and are session of all the reinforceme iquitous legislation imparts, in a to govern, to a large extent the they pay for raw material and the they receive for their manufacture

duct. In order to say to the pr he should have for the raw p to the consumer what he sho the manufactured product, the compelled not only to a economical government of its one but to go outside of its own domini adept a policy of war and conall business of a similar nature.

To a formidable competitor, the says; "Cast your lot with our and profits will be increased." concerns, the trust is a notice business or lose all invested. On tration will serve to show the ter ng effects of a great trust upon the great products of raw material of United States.

The tobacco trust has waged as m mitting and merciless wartare upor manufacturers of tobacco, till it has n ered into its fathomiess maw, or be out of business, every great tobacco of cern in the country except one. The bacco trust has offered that one comter many millions more than its pling worth, but, for reasons of pride or po ism, that one great corporation but as yet gone into the trust.

It stands between the trust and en plete control of the leaf tobacco mirat it stands between the trust and one

control of the tobacco warehouse builty The thousands of producers of ray me the terial in this widely diffused and put staple are on the point of being depr of the banefit of the law of supply a only demand for their product and of be expect from the arbitrary dictation of concern that levies tribute at will con

consumer of the manufactured article. When the tobacco trust shall have copleted the business of buying large oncerns and bankrupting small ones, it was be able to give its undivided attention is dispensed with, as the trust will have be

own warehouses. When the producers complain, they will be told that they need not sell miss complain, they will be told that fire and even go prices are the mere evidence of pros

The tobacco business is a fair illu tion of the effects of trusts. The eller avarice of the combine, in every instant. There must first be honest tell blo mother earth opens to man the storeless

of the business of agriculture. Thirty millions of our population, leave in every section of the United States when the soil offers her treasures in exch for labor, can not combine into a trate

The ratio of the amount of wealth to controlled and owned by trust stockhi to the amount retained by those who po

duce it is very large. The number with visiting people that trusts benefit is in the inch ratio to the number it injures. Trusts are a public menace; the b crease is a subject of deep concers every thoughtful citizen. Trusts be been organized with an aggregated so tal of nearly two billions since the b auguration of William McKinley as per

ident; he seems to have been the adres agent of trust prosperity. The National administration seems be alert in fastering upon the people gold standard. The secretary of the mury delivers quarterly appeals advised peuple to destroy some more of its interest bearing money and the soil earling papers print them all, as well as a editorials on the secretary's last and Our secretary of war is busy sending armies to the Philippine islands to de

plete a gigantic undertaking long at augurated by the Spaniards. But to has the attorney general of the fra States been doing? The people naturally looked to all

check the tide of monopoly and rule which they have been especially its ened since his appointment to office ! most decided step he has taken su accept an invitation as the guest of he at a banquet given in New York M. officers of the leading trusts of the of try. Very recently, animated by the organica to the people, he report opinion to the effect that no Federal furnished an adequate remedy

Taking the opinion of the be correct, it devolves upon ever to enact such legislation against to corresponds to the dangers that the Confiscation of property of trusts would do to begin with. The strusts are the spoils of the control of the strugger of the strugger of the weak; as scruples should a State have is legislation that does not temporal gatton will necessarily follow its Trusts will die hard and slowly is like a state. like a suake.

The people of every State IS. should legislate against trusts; the present National admin